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A SON OF FORTUNE.—The Richmond correspondent of the Norfolk Virginian gives the following bit of personal history under the above heading:

Clifton N. Taylure is now in Richmond superintending the performance of his new play, "Christie Johnstone," by Mrs. Chantrel. No name is now better known in theatrical circles than Clifton's, but it is not so widely known that he cannot be called a son of Virginia. A few years ago, during the war, he was the local editor of the Richmond Examiner, and afterwards of the Richmond Enquirer. He then went to Baltimore and founded the Evening Transcript, which was suppressed by General Lee, Wallace on the pretense that it was disloyal to the Union. Clifton was then thrown upon the world without a cent or a postage stamp, and Gen. Wallace forbade his following his vocation as a journalist in Baltimore, although he was offered a paying position on the Sun. Cut off from journalism he turned his attention to the stage, and wrote the dramatization of East Lynne, which Lucille Weston starred all over the United States. For this he received about \$3,000. He then got acquainted with John E. Owens, the Baltimore comedian, who was just emerging from the obscurity of a stock company at the Holiday street Theatre. Taylure and other friends advised Owens to try New York. He went thither tremblingly, and took Taylure with him as his financial agent. This result was a brilliant success. Owens took Gotham by storm; played there ten months, and the profits amounted to \$52,000, of which Taylure's share was 33 1/3 per cent, or nearly \$18,000. He then went with Owens to Europe, and has since been engaged in the management of theatres and writing of plays with great pecuniary success. Now he resides in Brooklyn, is a large property owner, and is in receipt of a fine income. Recently he has been the hands of the carpet-bagger the family homestead in South Carolina, and still holds it, although under the oppressive State government now there existing the taxes amount annually to the value of the land. Mr. Taylure is still a young man; he is good-looking, and his manners are most engaging.

SHANGHAI WEATHER.—Mr. James Brooks, in one of his letters from China to the New York Express, thus describes the state of the weather at Shanghai during his visit to that place:

"The thermometer is the biggest liar that ever lived. It is only 95 or 98 here at night, and 109 or 103 by day, and yet it is hotter, intensely hotter, than I have felt it in the Napa (California) Valley, coming from the Geyers, in July, at 118, or on the sands of Egypt. Thermometers, therefore, I have no hesitation in saying, lie, not exactly in words, or figures, or letters, but in spirit, in substance, in color, at least. I am suffocating here! I can't get breath enough! What would I give for a puff, and how much more for a typhoon, even if it were destructive one? There is no very night nor day, and if possible, it is hotter by night than by day. There is no sleep in this oven bed, and if there were, the mosquitoes would eat you up if you did not throw over you the well-replenished net. A mattress is unendurable; a mat has to be laid on that, or your perspiration would stick you to the mattress. Never, never, Yankee pilgrim, enter here in June, July, or August. They say you can breathe and live and sleep in all other months of the year, but if you will be such a fool as I am, and come, drink, and drink deep, not exactly of the Pierian Spring—not water, for that is poison here—but claret, hock, champagne, port, beer, and eat ice, and little else, except bread and meat. Shanghai is nearly in the latitude of northern Florida, but amid lowlands as it is, on which are boundless fields of cotton, near the mouth of the great Yangtze, doubtless the climate is like that of New Orleans, on the Mississippi, with the thermometer ranging higher. What I know for certain is, you will never catch me here again in July if there be any way of getting around it, or over it, or under it."

MATIMONY IN FRANCE.—A curious Frenchman, Earnest Cadet by name, has recently been examining the matrimonial statistics of France and the examination has developed some singular and significant facts.

In 1784, there was one marriage to every 108 inhabitants; in 1841, one to every 121 inhabitants; and in 1870, one to every 127. As the arts, appliances and principles of civilization are supposed to have materially increased during the past ninety years, this exhibit shows that from a French standpoint, at least, advancing wealth, refinement and knowledge do not tend to assist matrimony.

M. Cadet also finds that in 1841 the number of illegitimate children born in France was 74,000—it is now 77,000. Moreover, in Paris and its immediate suburbs, 88 per cent. of the births are outside the pale of wedlock.

According to the French law, there is no absolute divorce, a decree of separation prevailing instead. In 1841 there were 1,678 suits for separation begun, and they now amount annually to nearly 3,000. Assuming from figures given above that there are 300,000 marriages a year in France, this proves that one in every hundred seek through the courts to return to single blessedness. How many separations occur without any legal formality cannot be ascertained.

WALKING TO FAME.—Weston, the "walkist" has added another to the long list of his illustrious failures to get over the promised number of miles in the time agreed upon. Mr. Weston is certainly a favored mortal to be able to support such a reputation as he has acquired on so small a proportion of success. It is no doubt a laudable ambition to desire to walk to the very pinnacle of fame with only one's legs to carry him there. It may require very little brains to keep those useful members going and the result may be of no possible consequence to any body, and yet, if one can acquire greatness by success in pedestrianship, no one can reasonably object. It does seem hard, however, to those who are struggling along in obscurity with only mental endowments and a desire to accomplish something useful to inspire them, that the common rule should be reversed in favor of a professional tramp, and glory should be accorded to continual failure. Weston, of course, explains his latest "fizzle," and threatens to do greater things than ever before, but that is a way he has.

## DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

**SIMMONS' LIVER**  
The symptoms of Liver Complaint are uneasiness and pain in the side. Sometimes the pain is in the shoulder, and is mistaken for rheumatism. The stomach is affected with loss of appetite and sickness, bowels in general constive, sometimes alternating with laxity. The head is troubled with pain, and dull, heavy sensation, considerable loss of memory, accompanied with painful sensation of having left undone something which ought to have been done. Often complaining of weakness, debility and loss of spirits. Sometimes many of the above symptoms attend the disease, and at other times very few of them; but the liver is generally the organ most involved. Cure the Liver with

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A preparation of roots and herbs, warranted to be strictly vegetable, and can do no injury to any one. It has been used by hundreds, and known for the last 40 years as one of the most reliable, efficacious and harmless preparations ever offered to the suffering. If taken regularly and persistently, it is sure to cure

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**E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**  
DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS, SPICES, ACIDS, &c., &c. Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax st., aug 2-ly Alexandria, Va.

**H. H. COOK, WM. F. O'BRIGHTON, COOK & O'BRIGHTON.**  
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**JANNEY & CO.**  
DEALERS IN PURE DRUGS, LEWIS WHITE LEAD, Paints, Oils and Varnishes. FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY. No. 145 King street. Orders and Inquiries from the country promptly attended to. sep 23-ly

**THE FOLLOWING WILL BE READ WITH INTEREST:**  
Under date of April 20th, 1871, Dr. HENRY J. ROGERS, 58 Sharp street, Baltimore, an eminent physician, writes regarding CRYSTAL DISCOVERY:  
"It affords me much pleasure to bear testimony to the efficacy of your Crystal Discovery. Some years since, while in India, I suffered from a severe fever peculiar to the country. On my recovering, a patch of hair on the left side of my head became perfectly white, without at all affecting the remainder. To remove this unsightly appearance, I had recourse to various preparations, both in Europe and in this country; but they all had one great defect—they dyed the hair black. Now, with your Crystal Discovery, I can get the desired shade—the natural color of my hair being dark brown. I consider your Discovery the best preparation I know of."  
HENRY J. ROGERS.  
Now as the fact becomes more patent every day that the various dirty and filthy preparations advertised as Renewers, Restoratives, &c., are but compounds of Sugar of Lead and Sulphur, and therefore should be shunned by all who value their health, it is scarcely a matter of surprise that the demand for NATTAN'S CRYSTAL DISCOVERY, admitted to be perfectly harmless, and yet accomplish all, and more, than the poisonous articles claim to do, should have increased so rapidly. It restores the color and growth of the hair positively in a few days; strengthens the roots, makes an excellent dressing, soiling neither clothes nor scalp; but on the contrary it gives the scalp a pure and cleanly look, removing all dandruff and scurf. It is the most economical preparation in use. Put up in large bottles, at one dollar.

ARTHUR NATTAN, Inventor and Sole Proprietor, WASHINGTON, D. C. For sale in Alexandria by WARFIELD & HALL. je 27-oly

**JOHN H. PARROTT,** DEALER IN BLANK BOOKS, WRITING and WRAPPING PAPER, ENVELOPES, INKS, and STATIONERY GENERALLY. Wholesale and retail. Also PAPER BAGS, FLOUR SACKS, Shipping and Printing Cards, Direction Labels, &c., &c.

**PIEDMONT AND ARLINGTON LIFE INSURANCE CO., OF VIRGINIA.** Jan 10-ly

**WILLIAM MURRAY,** MERCHANT TAILOR, No. 7 NORTH FAIRFAX STREET. Has just received his FALL AND WINTER ASSORTMENT OF CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, AND VESTINGS. He invites his friends and customers to call and examine his stock. sep 29-ly

**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.**  
A meeting of the stockholders of the MIDDLEBURY and PLAINFIELD TURNPIKE CO. will be held in Middlebury, at the office of Maj. R. P. Noland, at 4 o'clock p. m., on SATURDAY, the 14th of October next, for the purpose of electing a President and Directors for said company for the next year.

**LOU DON CHEESE.**  
This Virginia made Cheese constantly on consignment, direct from factory, market rates, wholesale and retail. R. M. LAWSON, aug 21

**HOOP SKIRTS, HOOP SKIRTS!**  
Just received from the factory a large assortment of Hoop Skirts, among which is the Isabella Pannier Skirt. sep 30

**A PRIME LOT OF NEW COPFISH** just received and for sale by GEO. MCBURNEY & SON, 106 and 170 King street. oct 4

**BASKETS, Fancy, Market and Clothes Baskets,** a full assortment received and for sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON, 246 King st., cor. Alfred. oct 2

**LADIES' FINE SHOES** at sep 21 WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

## GROCERIES.

**W. H. SMITH & CO.,** Wholesale Dealers in BUTTER, EGGS, DRIED AND GREEN FRUIT, POTATOES, ONIONS, &c. Also Potomac Herring, Shad, Eastern Herring, Mackerel of all kinds. NORTH FAIRFAX STREET, (Under Mansion House), Alexandria, Va. sep 15

**GEO. MCBURNEY & SON,** Dealers in CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS, English and Scotch Ale and Brown Stout; also Eastern and Potomac Herring and Mackerel. NOS. 106 and 170 KING STREET, (Washington Hall Building), Alexandria, Va. Orders promptly filled. my 31

**NOTICE OF REMOVAL.**  
WM. F. BROOKES, FAMILY GROCER, Has removed to 147 KING STREET, Below Washington street. sep 16-ly

**JOHN HARLOW, M. D. HARLOW, HARLOW & BROTHER,** GROCERS, LIQUOR, FEED, AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Northwest corner Royal and Cameron streets Alexandria, Virginia. Special attention given to the sale of Country Produce. We most respectfully call the attention of the trade to our large and splendid stock of goods, consisting of Wines and Liquors, Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Breakfast Pieces, Butter, Lard, Cheese, Corn Meal, Crackers, Syrups, Molasses, Cod Fish, Mackerel, Herring, Wood-onware, Baskets, Spices, Cigars, Tobacco, Canned Goods, Corn Oil, &c., and every other article usually found in a first class wholesale and retail establishment. Orders from the country respectfully solicited, and all orders shall receive our prompt attention. mar 20-ly

**REMOVAL.**  
G. WM. RAMSAY, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL FAMILY GROCER, Has removed to S.E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS., ALEXANDRIA, VA. mar 10-ly

**ANOTHER GREAT REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF TEAS AND COFFEES.**  
TEAS: Japan, uncolored, \$1; Best Extra, 1.20 Oolong, 80 and 90c; " " 1.20 English Breakfast, 80c and \$1 " 1.20 Imperial, \$1.10; " " 1.40 Young Hyson, 80c; \$1; Gunpowder, \$1.25, \$1.60; " 1.75 Remember that we guarantee our Teas to be fresh, pure and unadulterated, and if not satisfactory will be exchanged.

**COFFEES:** Java, Mocha, Ceylon, Maricao, Lagayra and Rio Green, Roasted or Ground, if desired, from 2 to 6c per pound less than formerly. We use great care in the selection of our Coffees, and guarantee them to give entire satisfaction. We would also call attention to our stock of Jellies, Canned Goods, French, English, and American Mustards, Cross & Blackwell's Pickles, American Pickles, Peas, Beans &c. &c. celebrated Biscuits, Almond Biscuits, Pure French Candy, from 30 to 60c per pound. Every variety of Spices, perfectly pure, ground and whole. A liberal discount to the trade. CHINESE TEA COMPANY, No. 11 North Royal street, Near the Market. jan 21

**RICHARD W. AVERY, F. J. DAVIDSON, AVERY & DAVIDSON,** Dealers in CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, WINES, AND LIQUORS. No. 226, King street, corner of Alfred, Alexandria, Va. jan 14-ly

**J. CLINTON MILBURN,** Wholesale and Retail Dealer in GROCERIES. Corner Cameron and Royal streets, (Opposite the Market), Alexandria, Va. my 8-ly

**BUILDING MATERIAL.**  
J. W. NALLS, B. W. NALLS, R. F. PEARE, JAMES W. NALLS, SN & CO., 187 King st., Alexandria, Va. Dealers in HARDWARE, CUTLERY, Carpenters' Tools, Doors, Sash, Blinds, Door and Window Frames, Brackets, Mouldings, Balusters, of different patterns, and Newel Posts. A large stock of French and American Glass, double and single thick, of all sizes. Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Paint and White Wash Brushes, Lewis Pure White Lead, and other brands of fine quality. Putty, Turpentine and Machine Oil. Also, Lime, of superior quality. Cement, Calced Plaster, Pitch and Felt for Roofing, &c. A large stock of Pugh's celebrated Car Augers, and other articles found in first class Builders' Furnishing establishments. All orders for Lumber, Brick and all kinds of Building Material, promptly attended to. Terms cash. feb 11-ly

**ROBT. JAMIESON & CLARKE, A. M. CLARKE,** ALEXANDRIA PLANING MILLS, SASH, DOOR & BLIND FACTORY. Nos. 27 and 29 North Water street feb 11-ly

**DRESSED FLOORING AND WHITE PINE LUMBER.**  
JOHN R. LAMBDIN, Supt. jan 2

**RISHWELL & HOOGE,** VIRGINIA SASH, DOOR AND BLIND FACTORY AND PLANING MILL. CORNER FAIRFAX AND QUEEN STREETS, Alexandria, Virginia. Sashes, Doors, Blinds, Frames, Mouldings, Brackets, Newels Balusters, and Mantelpieces, constantly on hand at the Factory. Call and examine stock and prices. sep 16-ly

**G. EDWIN ENTWISLE,** DEALER IN CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENWARE, No. 187 King street. A fine assortment of goods in my line constantly on hand. sep 4-ly

**J. R. SMOOT,** LIVE STOCK BROKER, WEST END. Respectfully solicits consignments of Cattle, Cows and Calves, Hogs and Sheep. Address J. R. SMOOT, P. O. box 167, Alexandria, Va. nov 11

**LADIES' HOUSE SHOES.**  
Large stock and great variety, suitable for old ladies, at sep 21 WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

## COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

**JOHN R. ALEXANDER,** MERCHANDISE BROKER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT. No. 8 SOUTH ROYAL STREET, Residence 75 Cameron st., Alexandria, Virginia. oct 2-ly

**E. L. TOLSON, L. WITHERS, TOLSON & CO.,** WHOLESALE GROCERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. No. 38 cor. King and Water sts., Alexandria, Va. aug 4-3m

**J. NO. T. HENDERSON & CO.,** GENERAL PRODUCE & COMMISSION MERCHANTS. No. 8 South Union street, Alexandria, Virginia. aug 2-ly

**F. G. SWAINE,** GROCER & COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 22 North Royal street, On hand and for sale a well selected stock of Consignments of GRAIN, COUNTRY PRODUCE, &c., respectfully solicited. Strict attention paid to sales, and prompt returns guaranteed. aug 19-ly

**C. PARTNERSHIP.**  
RICHARDS PAYNE, WM. MARSHALL, PAYNE & MARSHALL, FAULKNER CO., COMMON & FORWARDING MERCHANTS No. 34 King street, ALEXANDRIA, VA. jy 5-3m

**SHINN & CO.,** (Successors to Samuel Hartley,) GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS No. 18 Union street, Alexandria, Va. Particular attention paid to the selling of FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c. at the lowest market prices. Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brands of FAMILY FLOUR. Agents for the sale of the "ROUND TOP HYDRAULIC CEMENT" jan 5-ly

**J. BRODERS & CO., J. LANNON, J. BRODERS & CO.,** No. 11 King street, Alexandria, Va. GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Wholesale Dealers in GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS, SALT FISH, and PRODUCE. Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lamps and Ship and Naval Stores. All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to consignees on arrival. Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder. XXX Ale and Porter always on hand. Agents for the Baltimore and Potomac Transportation line. mh 10-ly

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**THOMAS PERRY,** GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT AND AGENT FOR MAGNUM BONUM AND BAUGH'S RAW BONE PHOSPHATE. No. 15 King street, Alexandria, Va. Particular attention given to the sale of all kinds of Country Produce, and filling orders for Guano, Plaster, Farming Implements, Seeds, Groceries, Fish, Salt, Lime, &c., at the lowest market rates. aug 21-ly

**GEORGE WASHINGTON, W. W. HERBERT, WASHINGTON & HERBERT,** (Successors to Geo. Washington,) GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, No. 11 North Union st., Alexandria, Va. Particular attention given to the sale of all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, SEEDS, PLASTER, FISH, SALT, LIME, &c., at the lowest market price. feb 1-ly

**J. F. LARKIN,** No. 210 Seventh street, [Between B street and Maryland Avenue,] Washington, D. C. COMMISSION MERCHANT. Respectfully solicits consignments, believing he can average 10 per cent. more for consignors than he did in Alexandria. Washington, Jan 31-ly

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**GEO. H. ROBINSON & SON,** GROCERS, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS. King street, Alexandria, Va. Particular attention paid to the selling of all kinds of Country Produce. Goods forwarded promptly. nov 21-ly

**DAVEY & HARMON,** GROCERS FEED & COMMISSION MERCHANTS. Corner Prince and Royal sts., ALEXANDRIA, VA. Special attention given to the sale of Country produce. my 3-ly

**LUTHER D. HARRISON,** AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION MERCHANT, No. 15 North Royal street, Alexandria, Va. Respectfully solicits consignments. Sales attended to with promptness and dispatch oct 31-ly

**JOHN A. FIELD,** (Successor to William Buckingham,) Manufacturer and Dealer in CIGARS, TOBACCO, SNUFF, PIPES, &c., &c., &c. NO. 71 KING STREET. Give me a call. jan 8-ly

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**D. R. CHARLES E. HAMMEN,** DENTIST. (Graduate Baltimore Dental College,) OFFICE—NO. 19 NORTH ST. ASAPH ST. ALEXANDRIA, VA. sep 27-ly

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**G. GEORGE A. MUSHBACH,** ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, Office on Royal st., between King and Prince, Alexandria, Va. Practices in Alexandria and adjoining counties. P. O. box 218. aug 8-ly

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**S. C. NEALE,** ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW AND NOTARY PUBLIC. Practices in Alexandria and adjoining counties. Office, 681 Prince street, next to Gazette office, Alexandria, Va. ap 6-ly

**DR. JAMES B. HODGKIN,** DENTAL SURGEON, (Graduate Baltimore College Dental Surgery.) Office and Residence 59 Prince Street, (Two doors above Royal), ALEXANDRIA, VA. Nitrous Oxide Gas administered. [aug 2-ly

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**WILMER D. CORSE, MONTGOMERY D. CORSE, BANKING HOUSE OF WILMER D. CORSE & CO.,** Nos. 57 and 59 South St., Alexandria, Virginia. WILL DEAL IN DOMESTIC EXCHANGE, GOLD AND SILVER COIN, CURRENT MONEY, RAILROAD BONDS, &c., &c. GOVERNMENT BONDS and other securities bought and sold on commission. Collections made on all accessible points in the United States, and proceeds promptly remitted. Internal Revenue stamps for sale. sep 1

**\$8,200 LOST BONDS.**  
ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS REWARD. ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA RAILROAD COMPANY, FIRST MORTGAGE, 6 per cent. Nos. 234, 244, 245, three of \$500 each, principal due originally 1st November, 1866, extended to 1st May, 1873. Coupons payable May and November. Coupons attached from and including May, 1871, \$2,000.

**ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA RAILROAD COMPANY, FIRST MORTGAGE, 7 per cent. funded, Nos. 78, 79, 148, 149, four of \$500 each, dated 1st Nov., 1866, principal due 1st May, 1873. Coupons payable May and November. Coupons attached from and including May, 1871, \$1,700.**

**ORANGE AND ALEXANDRIA RAILROAD COMPANY, FOURTH MORTGAGE, 4 per cent. No. 6, for \$1,000; Nos. 221, 244, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, seven of \$500 each, for \$2,500, two of \$100 each, dated 1st December, 1860, two of \$100 each, dated 1st December, 1860, and September, 1860. Coupons payable March and September. Coupons attached from and including March, 1871, \$1,700.**

The above reward will be paid for the recovery of the whole, and in the same proportion for any part, and no question asked, on delivery, either in person, or through the Postoffice or Express, to WILSON, COLSTON & CO., Bankers, 144 West Baltimore street, Baltimore, aug 24-4twlwat

**NOTIONS! NOTIONS! WHOLESALE! NOTIONS!** The largest stock of Notions, Hosiery, Gloves and Handkerchiefs ever brought to the city of Alexandria is now being offered.

**GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE,** 76 King street. oct 4

**WHITE DRESS SHIRTS,** (Quaker City) undoubtedly the best manufactured—made to order by measurement. Leave your order, if you would have a perfect fitting Shirt, that will delight you both in finish and durability, at GREEN'S NOTION HOUSE, oct 5 76 King street.

**BOXES PRIME CHEESE** received to-day by [oc 6] J. C. MILBURN. oct 6

## MEDICAL.

**Baltimore Lock Hospital.**

**DR. JOHNSTON,** Physician of this celebrated institution, has discovered the most certain, Speedy, Pleasant and Effective Remedy in the world for all DISEASES OF IMPURENCE.

Weakness of the Back or Limbs, Strictures, Affection of the Kidneys or Bladder, Involuntary Discharges, Impotency, General Debility, Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Languor, Low Spirits, Confusion of Ideas, Palpitation of the Heart, Trembling, Dimness of Sight, or Giddiness, Disease of the Head, Throat, Nose or Skin, Affections of the Liver, Lungs, Stomach or Bowels—those terrible Disorders arising from Solitary Habits of Youth—secret and solitary practices most fatal to their victims than the songs of the Sirens to the Mariners of Ulysses, blighting their most brilliant hopes or anticipations, &c.

**YOUNG MEN.** Especially, who have become the Victims of Solitary Vice, and dreadful and destructive habits which annually sweep to an untimely grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellect, who might otherwise have entered listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or walked to ecstasy the living lyra, may call with full confidence.

**MARRIAGE.** Married persons, or Young Men contemplating marriage, aware of Physical Weakness (Loss of Procreative Power—Impotency) Nervous Excitability, Palpitation, Organic Weakness, Nervous Debility, or any other Disqualification speedily relieved.

He who places himself under the care of Dr. J. may rely upon his honor as a gentleman, and confidently rely upon his skill as a physician.

**ORGANIC WEAKNESS.** Immediately cured and Full Vigor Restored. This distressing Affection—which renders life miserable and marriage impossible—is the penalty paid by the victims of improper indulgence. Young persons are too apt to estimate excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue. They do not understand the subject will pretend to deny that the natural powers are lost sooner by those falling into improper habits than by the prudent? Besides being deprived of the pleasure of healthy offspring, the most serious and distressing symptoms of both body and mind ensue. The system becomes deranged, the Physical and Mental Functions weakened. Loss of Procreative Power, Nervous Irritability, Dyspepsia, Palpitation of the Heart, Indigestion, Constitutional Debility and Wasting of the Frame, Consumption, Decay and Death.

**A CURE WARRANTED IN TWO DAYS.** Relief in Six Hours! No Mercury! Persons ruined by Ignorant, Trifling Pretenders and their Deadly Poison, should apply immediately.

**DR. JOHNSTON** Member of the Royal College of Surgery of London, Graduate of one of the most eminent Colleges in the United States, and the greater part of whose life has been spent in the hospitals of London, Paris, Philadelphia and elsewhere, has effected some of the most astonishing cures that were ever known; many troubled with ringing in the head and ears when asleep, great nervousness, being alarmed at sudden sounds, bashfulness, with frequent blushing, attended with derangement of mind, were cured immediately.

**TAKE PARTICULAR NOTICE.** Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by improper indulgence and solitary habits, which ruin both body and mind, uniting them for either business, study, society or marriage.

These are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by the early habits of youth, viz: Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Memory, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

Mentally—The fearful effects on the mind are much to be dreaded. Loss of Memory, Confusion of Ideas, Depression of Spirits, Evil Fancies, Aversion to Society, Self Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.

Thousands of persons of all ages can now judge who is the cause of their declining health, losing their vigor, becoming weak, pale, nervous and emaciated, having a singular appearance about the eyes, cough and symptoms of Consumption.

**YOUNG MEN** Who have injured themselves by a certain practice, already described, a habit frequently learned from evil companions or at school, the effects of which are nightly felt, even when asleep, and if not cured, renders marriage impossible